## **OBSERVATION REPORT #20**

KPMG Consulting observed several instances where Provisioning Completion Messages (PCMs) and Billing Completion Messages (BCMs) were received after expected time frames.

## **Issue**

The following table lists a sample of PONs for orders that received BCMs later than what KPMG Consulting expected.

Issue	PON	VER	BCM	BCM
			<b>Completion Date</b>	Received
5	018031NN0X010001	AA	09/22/00	09/28/00
				12:34
6	038041NN0X000001	AA	09/28/00	10/02/00
				17:05

The following table lists a sample of PONs for orders that received PCMs later than what KPMG Consulting expected.

Issue	PON	VER	PCM	PCM
			<b>Completion Date</b>	Received
1	019041NN0X000002	AA	09/22/00	09/26/00
				19:32
2	038041NN0X000001	AA	09/21/00	09/23/00
				11:14
3	050011NN0X000005	AA	09/21/00	09/26/00
				11:32
4	018031NN0X010001	AA	09/21/00	09/26/00
				19:31

## **Assessment**

Late completion messages may impede a CLEC's ability to recognize when customer accounts have changed and, therefore, may impact customer service.